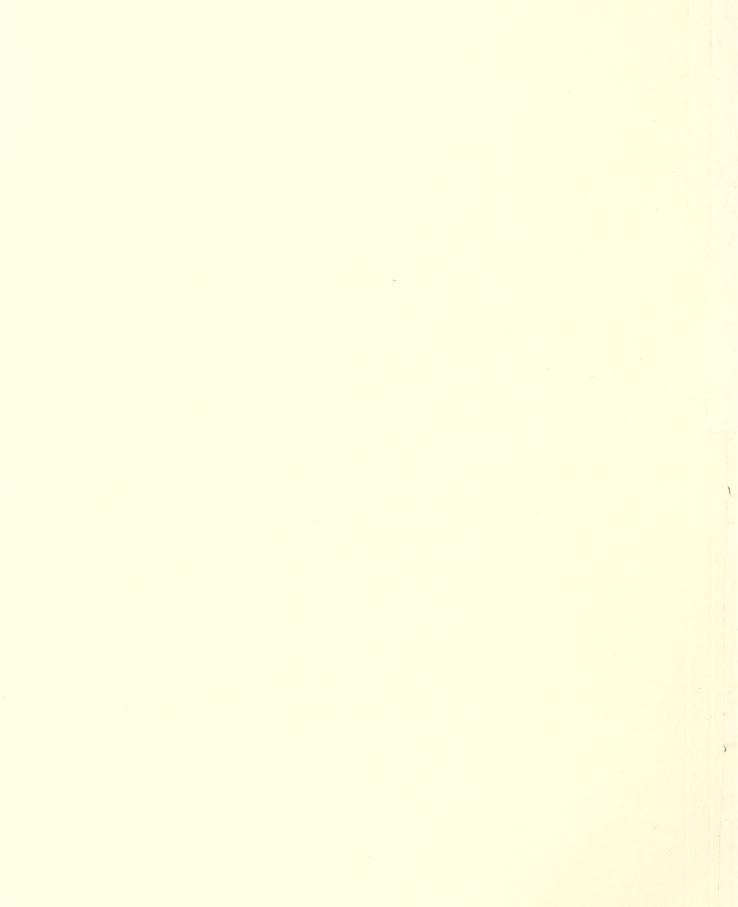
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#### MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (FAS)

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (O.I.T.F.)



It is understood that the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Commerce (herein referred to as "Agriculture" and "Commerce," respectively) expect to participate in a program relating to international trade fairs abroad during the fiscal years 1956-1957, in furtherance of their respective programs and responsibilities, and to cooperate in connection therewith in such manner as herein and hereafter may be mutually agreed upon by the Administrator of the Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture and Director of the Office of International Trade Fairs, Department of Commerce, and the Operations Coordinating Board Trade Fair Committee.

Agriculture intends to display exhibits which will, in general, consist of, and demonstrate the use of, U.S. agricultural products and equipment, for the purpose of developing markets for United States agricultural commodities. Commerce intends to arrange for and supervise the display of joint U.S. Government-industry exhibits, in carrying out its responsibilities relating to international trade fairs under the Emergency Fund for International Affairs.

AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING COOPERATIVE ARRANGEMENT, in furtherance of their respective programs insofar as these programs further the U.S. objectives in such trade fair participation:

#### Supervision and Direction at Fairs

l. Any agricultural and commerce exhibits will be included in the over-all U.S. Government-sponsored exhibit to be maintained and displayed at the Fair under the general supervision and direction of Commerce and its Trade Fair Manager, except that where the parties agree with respect to specified fairs, such exhibits shall be under the general supervision and direction of Agriculture, subject however to the usual guidance of the OCB Trade Fair Committee.

#### Exhibit Materials and Other Items of Expense

2. Agriculture and Commerce will each separately assume and bear certain items of expense in connection with the construction, maintenance and display of their respective exhibits at said international trade fairs, and will jointly share certain other items of expense in connection therewith. The responsibility for particular items of expense, and proportions thereof, for specific fairs will be determined by mutual consent of the two Departments.

#### Arrangements for Exhibit Area and Transportation

3. Commerce will make the necessary arrangements for the construction and maintenance of the exhibit area and will arrange for the transportation of materials, supplies and equipment for the exhibit, from the United States to the fair sites, and for their subsequent return to the United States or transportation to such other places, for participation in international trade fairs or otherwise, as may be mutually agreed upon.



#### Payment of Expenses

4. Commerce and Agriculture will provide funds to defray the items of expense of the fairs as apportioned to each of them pursuant to this agreement. The financing arrangements for the program are shown in the attached table. It is understood that such distribution will not involve any increase in the total funds which would be available to each Department in the absence of such an arrangement.

#### Local Currency Expenditures

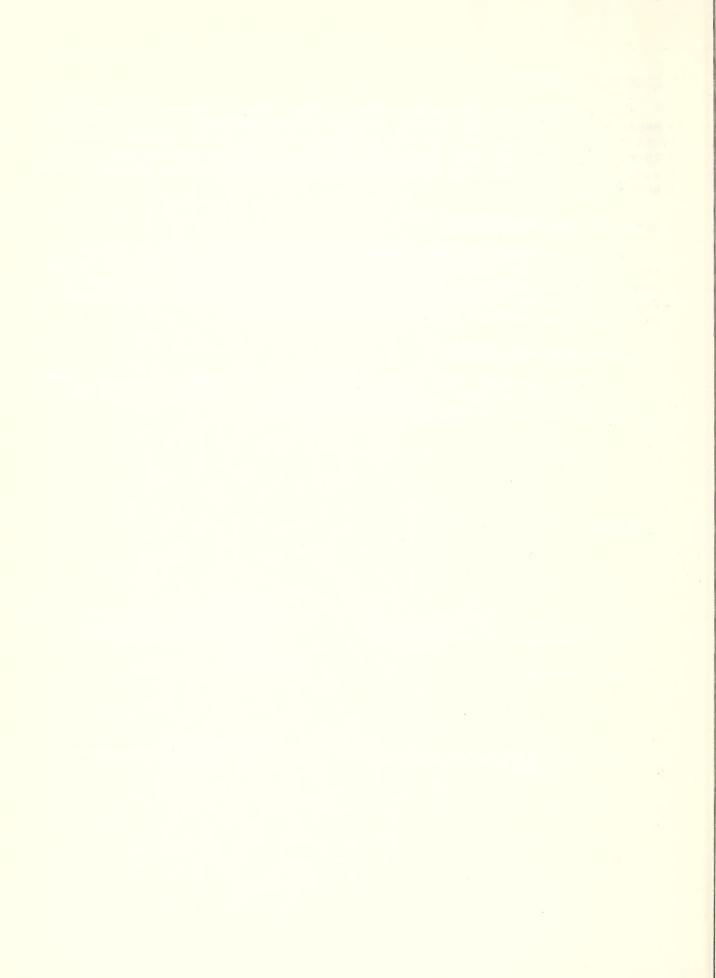
5. It is understood that payments of local currency will be subject to the approval of the Administrator of the Foreign Agricultural Service or his designated representative; and that such local currency will be charged to foreign currencies allocated to the Department of Agriculture from proceeds of transactions pursuant to Public Law 480 agreements.

#### Effective Date and Duration

6. This agreement will become effective as of April 18, 1956, and will continue in force until the 30th day of June, 1957, and may be extended or amended by mutual consent.

#### APPROVED:

By Administrator, FAS	Department of Commerce Acting By/Director, O.I.T.F.
April 18, 1956	April 18, 1956
(Date)	(Date)



### JOINT PARTICIPATION AND PAYMENT AGRICULTURE, COMMERCE DEPARTMENTS INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIRS

	APPORTIONMENT OF EXPENSES			PAYMENT		
FAIRS	TOTAL	COMMERCE	AGRICULTURE	TOTAL	BY COMMERCE IN DOLLARS	BY AGRICULTURE DOLLAR EQUIV.IN FOREIGN CURRENCY
Osaka	\$135,500	\$ 64,000	\$ 71,500	<b>\$</b> 135 <b>,</b> 500	\$ 14,500	\$121,000
London	150,000	32,000	118,000	150,000	130,000	
Salonika	154,000	66,500	87,500	154,000	54,000	100,000
Zagreb	127,000	100,000	27,000	127,000	47,000	80,000
Vienna	128,500	82,500	46,000	128,500	79,500	49,000
	\$695,000	\$345,000	\$350,000	\$695,000	\$345,000	\$350,000



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London	105,000	32,000	73,000	105,000	105,000	-
Salonika	140,000	70,000	70,000	140,000	40,000	100,000
Zagreb	125,000	102,000	23,000	125,000	27,000	98,000
Stockholm	141.500	60,000	81,500	141.500	141.500	-
	\$647,000	\$328,000	\$319,000	\$647,000	\$328,000	\$319,000



